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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Sheriff Reynolds has a very sick girl.

Attorneys Dug Day, R. S. May and others were business visitors at Jenkins.

Mrs. C. H. Burton left for a visit of five or six weeks to Mrs. Ralph Gilliam at Dallas, Texas. She will also visit in Missouri and Kansas.

Leonard Lewis resigned as Assistant Cashier of the First National Bank and Kenton Fairchild succeeds him. Mr. Lewis has accepted a nice position with the Sandlick Coal Co. and has entered upon his duties.

Judge Lewis Harvie left for a ten days' stay at his old home at Danville, Va. He will return about February 15.

Some rather warm rains have been coming in from the East and reminding us that spring is hidden just over the hill.

"I am sorry I ran over your hen," said the motorist, "would a dollar make it right?" "Well, better make it two. I have a rooster that was mighty fond of that hen, and the shock might kill him, too," said the farmer.

Eld. Bennett Adams and others held regular Baptist Church services at Little Cowan on last Sunday. Splendid sermons and a large congregation.

As usual a large body of men attended the Men's Bible Class at the City Hall Sunday morning. This hour of service is growing more and more interesting and it seems to us there is no reason why all that are at their homes should not come out.

Blair & Combs have moved their barber shop to the new Geo. Hogg building and will be glad to have you call and see them in their new quarters. Soon this is to be one of the best equipped barber shops to be found anywhere.

The Gorman Pursfull Coal Co. sold its holdings on Sandlick to the Elkhorn-Jellico interests on that creek. The two camps, however, as we understand it, will be run as two distinct concerns. The Gorman-Pursfull plant will be known as the Sandlick Coal Co. A number of improvements will be made.

The County Board of Tax Equalizers, consisting of Jas. M. Wright, Bert Tolliver, Madison Dunlap, Bill Brown, Henry Kaligh, Chas. Hogg and James R. Stallard entered upon their duties Monday. Henry R. Yonts, Tax Commissioner, is sitting with the Board in order to acquire as much knowledge of the work as possible. Under the law ex-commissioner John M. Adams is required to sit with the Board and assist in the work. The present Board consists of some of our very best citizens and we may rest assured they will do all in their power to save the interests of the people when it is in their power to do so.

In order to put his children in school here H. Y. Brown has located temporarily in our city. He will go back to his home at Crown in the spring.

The State Highway Commis-

sion announced the letting of a contract for six and three-fourths miles of the Louisville road in Lawrence county to Hart & Cooper, of our city. Their bid for the work was \$59,936.75.

Judge Kirk made a delightful talk at the Courthouse and there was no evidence as to anybody being displeased. About twenty Democrats were present and they were pleased, too.

Drew Frazier was painfully hurt about the head and face when a mule in turning about in a stall caught him and pinned him against a rough part of the building.

John L. Lewis and Walter Hooper, of Seco, visited friends in Whitesburg.

Saturday night between Millstone creek and Seco, a young son of Enoch Mullins, of the Elkhorn-Beefhide section, was perhaps fatally shot by a young man named Blevins. The trouble is said to have originated over a trivial matter. Mullins was taken to the hospital at Seco and Blevins and two others said to be implicated in the affair, were arrested and lodged in jail here.

Bluefield News

Miss Louisa Caudill is well of and back at work.

Lavada Caudill visited down at Urah.

O. W. Frazier spent several days here.

Mrs. J. R. Salyer and daughter, Maggie and Thelma Sorrell and Mrs. Price Little were baptized Sunday by Rev. Hutson.

J. H. Grimes has gone to Sandlick to work.

Uncle Jim Frazier visited his daughter, Mrs. Printson.

W. B. Collins made a trip to Whitesburg.

Several persons were seen drunk last Sunday for the first time in 1926. We must thank the officers for fighting whiskey violations as they have.

Bluefield Sunday school is invited to Whitesburg in March. We hope to turn out 100 per cent strong.

Printson made a trip to Carvers Fork.

Resolutions

On December 26, 1925, Mr. E. J. Neid passed away. He was one of our charter members, as well as one of our best citizens; therefore, be it,

Resolved, That this Club has lost one of its most faithful and useful members, and that he will be greatly missed from our gatherings.

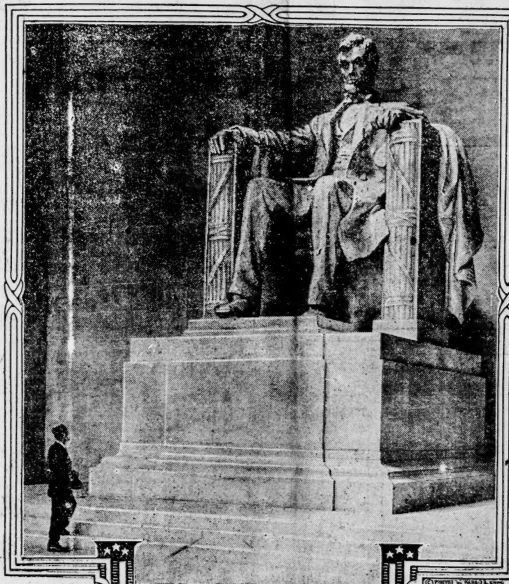
2. That we extend to Mrs. Neid and George our sincerest sympathy in their great distress and grief, and pray that God will abundantly comfort and sustain them.

3. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, one made a part of our record, and one sent to the Mountain Eagle for publication.

L. M. Abbott,
J. M. Kinzer,
L. B. Browning.

Chicken pox, from which more or less complaint is heard, is raging in town.

Another big snow fell in the highlands and valleys here Tuesday night and Wednesday.



ABRAHAM LINCOLN
February 12, 1809 — April 15, 1865



Speakers Bureau

In order that the mountains of Eastern Kentucky may understand each other better and thus co-operate for the good of each other, a Speakers' Bureau has been organized at Hazard. Hon. Robert L. Porter, Secretary of the Hazard Rotarians, is in charge and will be glad to get in touch with any and all organizations in need of a speaker.

Among those that can be had on short notice by applying to Mr. Porter are Hon. White L. Moss, Pineville; Senator H. H. Smith, Hindman; Judge Sawyer A. Smith, Barbourville; Hon. Jas. M. Turner, Paintsville; Hon. R. Monroe Fields, Hon. Emory L. Frazier, and Hon. Astor Hogg, Whitesburg; Hon. Henry Spencer, Jackson; Hon. C. W. Napier, Judge J. A. Smith, Hon. L. A. Bowles, Hon. Henry Huggins, Hon. H. K. Eblen, Hazard; Senator Hiram Brock, Harlan. A letter or telegram to Mr. Porter will receive prompt attention. Heretofore, in all probability, misunderstandings among our people as well as petty prejudices have interfered with our social and progressive prosperity, and this move will no doubt put our people to the point of knowing each other better and enable us to work for each other's mutual understanding.

Leroy Fields, one of our good Kings Creek citizens, was over to see us. Everybody are well on his creek.

We are informed that the Letcher Motor Co. sold four Ford cars lately—spring must be just around the corner.

FURNISH TRANSPORTATION

The Whitesburg Business Men's Club to Pay Expenses of Troah Campbell.

Troah Campbell, of Banks, who won the championship in the Letcher County Spelling Bee, will be furnished round trip transportation by the Business Men's Club of Whitesburg, from this city to Louisville to attend and compete in the State Spelling Bee. Sam Collins and C. H. Burton were appointed a special committee at the Club's regular meeting on the fifth inst. to purchase said transportation and to deliver same to Troah. The transportation of Troah was brought to the attention of the Club by Mr. Simeon Hale, who stated that Troah would have to bear his own expenses to Louisville and return. "Well," some member bawled out, "This Club stands for advancement and progress." Troah's transportation was voted unanimously.

The educational interests of Letcher county should awaken, as 25 cents from each of the 90 schools of the county would pay the transportation of their spelling champion.

John A. Webb, Pres.
Business Men's Club

AFTER 'EM

Yes sir, the boys are looking so closely after the bootleggers that it looks like they will wreck the business pretty soon. That's exactly what they promised to do before the election and the good people, if they are not fooled, are going to get just what they promised.

Ermine News

Our school closed on the 2nd inst. to the regret of all and the teacher, Charlie Hall, left for Richmond where he will be in school till May. The closing exercises consisted of spelling contest, declamations, music, etc. A Parker fountain pen was the prize awarded to Miss Bonnie Bates, winner of the spelling contest.

Mary Bell, five year old daughter of the late Tommy Hall, died from the effects of burns received a few days ago. She caught fire when standing before an open grate and was so badly burned that there was little or no hope for her recovery from the start. We extend heartfelt sympathies.

Road work on Colly, owing to weather conditions, is progressing slowly. When spring comes the work will be pushed to completion.

David Blair, who was so seriously sick for some days has so far recovered as to be able to return to Jenkins where he is employed in the postoffice.

Our people are pleased that all appearance of the moonshiner and bootlegger has disappeared. The vigilance of our officers and persuasive cries of the Eagle have done much toward bringing these much needed reforms.

A number of newspapers come into our home but the Eagle is held highest of all.

The residence of Judge Noah Bentley has been finished while the Arthur Dixon and R. S. Stewart homes are about done. These are all fine homes.

AS TO ORGANIZATION

Organization is the parent of progress. The government of the United States after the adoption of the Federal Constitution soon ranked as a great power because it was a federation made up of the best brains of the manhood of the young nation. The motto, "In Union There Is Strength," was made manifest and since that day every movement for good has been backed by that sentiment. "United We Stand, Divided We Fall" was the great bridge over which the struggling Kentuckians, in the Empire of the West, passed into a great and progressive Commonwealth. The mountains of Kentucky have been accused of being clannish, and it is no reflection to say that this is true. The men who more than an hundred years ago brought with them the spirit of clannishness breathed into their generations this same spirit. Today, touch a fiber in a Letcher county heart and the heart of a whole populace is tinged by that touch. We are one blood, one kin and one kin. To understand one another and work for each other is the idea. The country must understand the town's heart and the town must do the same by the country. The one is alive with the other in co-operation and the other is alive with the one with the same spirit.

The people of Whitesburg are greatly in need of organization and co-operation. In these are strength and these can add will keep Whitesburg forging to the front. In this the country and its good citizens can greatly help, for the town furnishes a great market for the country. As the town grows the country grows and from it much labor must come. As we have said, and we repeat now, Whitesburg is blessed with a choice amount of business brains. The old-time prejudice that once locked our growth and prosperity is melted and gone. Getting together and pushing and pulling is all we need. Every man to his man and every man to his tree. Push, pull, tug, and 1926 will be a glorious year for Whitesburg and the country. The people can make it so.

Carcassonne

The year 1925 marked the organization of two societies at Carcassonne Community Center School. One was christened "Lincoln Literary Society," in honor of Abraham Lincoln, the great Civil War leader, and the other "Boone Literary Society," in honor of the trail blazer of Kentucky. The purpose of the societies is to teach boys and girls to debate, write prophecies, interesting facts and rules of society. The new year was greeted with the news of a cabin almost finished to honor "The Boone." Also the news that there would be a party given to celebrate the completion of the cabin. Perhaps by now you are having a vague fear and anxious ideas about "The Lincoln" fading and falling thru. No, No! Erase that thought from your mind. "The Lincoln" cabin is not yet erected but it is as sure as tomorrow's sun. With a bunch of debaters that are gazing into the future and seeing themselves ranking among the great orators of the world, to back up "The Lincoln" it cannot fail. "The Lincoln" members are silent as the proverb goes, "The still pig drinks the slop." So don't feel surprised if you visit Carcassonne and see a cabin supplied with all the rude furnishings of Lincoln's home and more than that. No little party will celebrate the opening, but a festival similar to the inauguration of Gov. Shelby, when all Kentucky threw open her doors to the first Governor. I find it impossible to write more at this time for the whispers of "Shall we serve tea and marshmallows, peanut brittle or chocolate fudge first" from the girls who are to serve on that feast night. However, our opinion is Old Carcassonne will be a seaport town with "The Boone" as a dock by next year. The teachers are waiting breathlessly to see which society is going to lead in "Second Daniel Webster."

A Sad Story

There are now three vacant seats in the Tommy Hall house hold. On January 1 the head of this family, after many years of patient suffering, passed over life's rugged stream and as we hope is now happy on the other shore. On January 20 his little daughter, five years of age, was so badly burned when her clothing caught fire from an open grate that she, too, went away on last Saturday. On January 29 Luther Donald, a little grandson of Mr. Hall, passed away. So it seems that floods of sorrow are coming into this little family.

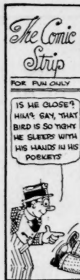
Thomas Hall was a good and straight-forward citizen a hard worker and a farmer, thought well of by all his neighbors and acquaintances. He reared three sons, all of whom are good citizens and leading industrious. One of these stayed with him during his long sickness and labored that he might have all the comforts possible. We miss him and hope heaven has cared for him.

Luther Hall.
Mayking, Ky.

Home Burned

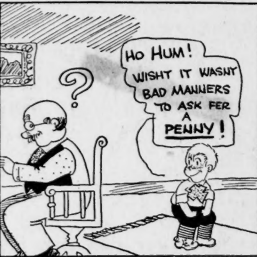
Sunday morning fire broke out in the home of Harlan Cook, in the Caudill section, and destroyed it. Most of the household goods were saved. Loss around \$1,500. Mr. Cook is a barber, a good citizen and has a large family. We sympathize with them in the loss of their home.

The bill to put a tax of five cents on each gallon of gasoline sold is having smooth sailing; among the law-makers at Frankfort, but to this time it looks like the pari-mutual and coal tax bills are doomed so far as this session of the Legislature is concerned. Log-rolling among the Republicans and Democrats in the body seems highly featured and in most cases is following the Administration, thus sweeping everything before it. The enemies of Gov. Fields, without regard to politics, continue to try to belittle him thru the State press. "Rule or wreck" seems to be their only ambition.



MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Supina
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PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



Guys hangin'. Nobody's friend, got fixed for selling short-weights, and he is going to ask the Editor not to mention it in the paper. Gus always knows the Editor and the paper, never spends any Jack for Ada, and has his envelopes printed out of town. (Gus will get a column on the front page!)

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

HEY ALLUZ TELLS ME ANS SPOONIBLE FUN EVYTHING WHUT GO WRONG ON DIS PLACE BUT PEANS T ME LAK SECH A SPOONIBLE MAN IS JUE T' BE GITTING NO MONEY!!



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TURN ME OVER



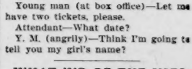
Give an example of consistency—the fitness of things

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

It always rains on picnic days And storms and hails and blows But I've one consolation still It never spoils my clothes



NOT REVEALING DATE



Young man (at box office)—Let me have two tickets, please. Attendant—What date? Y. M. (angrily)—Think I'm going to tell you my girl's name?

WHAT 'UD BE THE USE?



"If only we could see ourselves as others see us."

"Well, we wouldn't believe what we saw."

RAW.



THE FEATHERHEADS

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Getting Her Work Done Early



Waiting



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Events in the Lives of Little Men



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HOME WANTED FOR A BABY



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GAVE HIM THE G. B.



Sophia—"So Miss Passay has given her lover the grand bounce?" May—



"Yes, he made the mistake of writing her a poem and calling it 'Lines on My Sweetheart's Face.'"

Dad Was Out



Hardware Store Installment Collector—Is your father home? Small Daughter—What is your name, please? Installment Collector—Just tell him it is his old friend, Bill. Small Daughter—Then he isn't in, because I heard him tell mother that if any bills came he wasn't at home—Good Hardware.



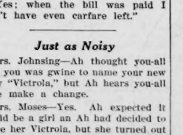
HAD TO FOOT IT UP



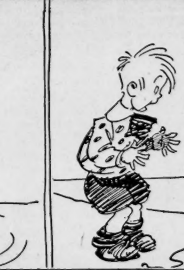
Wife—"Well, did you foot it up?" "Wife"—Yes, when the bill was paid I didn't have even carfare left."



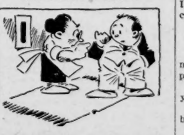
Just as Noisy



Mrs. Johnsing—Ah thought you said you was going to name your new baby "Victoria," but Ah hears you-all done make a change. Mrs. Moses—Yes. Ah expected it would be a girl. Ah had decided to name her Victoria, but she turned out to be a boy, so Ah done named him "Radio."



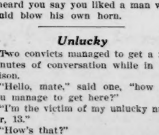
HIS OWN WORDS



Mr. Pester—"I'm going upstairs to kill that trombone player." His Wife



Unlucky



"Two convicts managed to get a few minutes of conversation while in the prison. 'Hello, mate,' said one, 'how did you manage to get here?' 'I'm the victim of my unlucky number, 13.' 'How's that?' 'Twelve jurors and one Judge.' Co-operative News, Manchester."

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TOMORROW is the birthday of Abraham Lincoln. There is scarcely a schoolboy that does not feel intimately acquainted with this great Kentuckian. The truth was and is he is one of the State's greatest assets. Whoever reads and studies the life of Abraham Lincoln is bound to be a better boy or girl, a better man and woman. The same is true, possibly more so, in sacred history. The lives of Christ, His Evangelists and His Apostles is ennobling, yes, inspiring. Probably there was never another character like Lincoln born into the world, but in saying this, let it be remembered that same truth can be spoken about others who have lived in the world. Washington, it seems to us, fitted admirably into the niche opened for him; Lincoln did the same, and Woodrow Wilson the same. It was not because Mr. Bryan was not qualified to fit into the niche of President of the United States. His field of usefulness was wider and broader than that. Next week we shall be speaking of George Washington, whose birthday occurs on the 22nd. Our readers will do well to travel along with us with these great men whose names will not die as long as intelligence and reason hold sway in our country.

Who was it that said that the bounds of our country were laid in patriotic blood and that its foundation lay in the simple furrow of the farmer's plow? Whoever it was, uttered a truth, and whoever intends to urge along that optimistic prophecy of good times we have preached had better put a little more stuffing to it. Dobbin so he will be able to ride the plow a "little" stronger. He, too, knows where his oats come from.



A Valentine

I always thought, before, a valentine was paper-lace, held with a gossamer thread.
A round cupid, with his gilded dart.
A sugared message: "Dear one, I am thine."
I pictured some coquetish Columbine,
Who snared poor Pansy's heart, with high air,
Her dress, clumsy just—could not depart.
And for his clowning, could but weep and pine!
But now—I know, O little love of mine,
Why men would hide them back of paper-lace,
And wear garlands, where pale ribands tangle!
I, too, am dumb, when gazing on thy face.
And glad enough to say, "Dear, I am thine!"
In any fashion, by the good Saint's grace.
—THEA KENTON in Everybody's Magazine.

A Letter From

John P. Back

Dear Editor,

I am sixty-eight years of age and for the first time in my life I am going to say some things through our dear old Eagle. It may be the last time I will say anything to you as I will soon leave Letcher county, the place of my birth and the place that I love so well. I shall just write down things as they come to my mind and I hope you will be able to understand me.

It seems to me we are going to have better times in Letcher county in the future, especially since our new officers came in. I can see a great change already. I don't see any drunk men now and I think it is the duty of all good citizens to stand by the officers and help them to execute every duty imposed on them.

And now to the fathers of our county. Did you ever stop to think that the pattern you lay out before your children is the one they will follow? They will say, "Well, Dad drinks, curses, gambles and the like, and why should I not do the same?" Children just will do what their superiors do, and parents or even officers have no moral right to punish others for what they themselves do. Go right out now in some quiet place and sit down and think this matter over and form a resolution to quit everything that you would not have your children do. The county needs business men and not bootleggers and drunkards. Nobody wants a bootlegger or drunkard to do business for him.

Now to the mothers. Pray for and beseech your daughters to stop their downward descent. Ask God to check them in their wild careers. If you knew as much as I do about the conduct of your girls you would not let them go out riding in cars at night. I have seen girls whose parents I love pass my house at all hours of the night with wild boys, and my heart ached for them. I knew the awful temptations they were undergoing and the sure ruin that would follow them if they kept this up. Mothers, get down on your knees now and implore God to save them from ruin. God made women for mothers and not for whompings and cooings for those who would blacken and destroy pure innocent girls flushed with the pride and foolishness of youth. I may be a foolish and curious old man, but I may be looking over a hind-sight and not forward, but God knows and parents know I speak the truth.

No doubt whiskey has brought destruction to more men, women and children than any other thing in the world, and yet men of strength and power go right on drinking, selling and drinking it. The maker closes his eyes to these things and says, "No matter, so I get the money. If I don't furnish it someone else will." In the light of common sense and reason, isn't this a shame? My dear friends, I do hope you will become ashamed of yourselves and quit. Oh, do make dear old Letcher a decent place in yet. True, modern, in fact, for ways have monopolized our

or county. They have always been my friends. This is why I am speaking to them in the hope of saving for the future many of our boys and girls.

I am deeply impressed with each issue of the Eagle and I know, Mr. Editor, you and the boys who stand in line with you are doing a work that no one else can or will do.

JOHN P. BACK.
Sandlick, Ky.

J. M. Hill Writes

Wise, Va., Feb. 5, 1926.

Dear Editor,

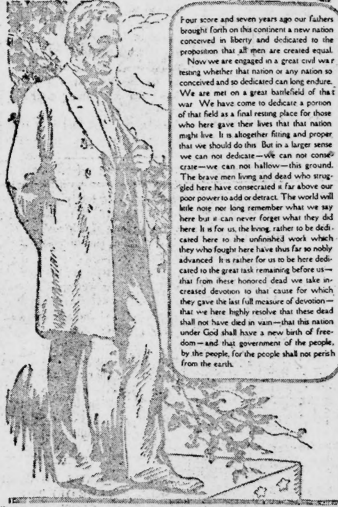
You may not want it told that once on a time you posed for a tintype picture of yourself and a favorite dog, nevertheless it is a fact. And I, with reluctance, shall have to confess guilty to the tintype picture business. Of course it was all back before the telephone, the electric light, the auto and airplane, and since my friend now edits a newspaper and I sit not at the receipt of custom, but as an advisor of neurologic patients, we should be exonerated from all previous crimes.

The big Cumberland mountain hangs between us, yet in memory's domain we meet at one common center with a smile, a welcome and that good old howdy-do. The finger of time has touched us softly and layed the furrows shallow and faint. I, in my own little corner and he in his. When first I peeped over the border line and saw the static hills of Kentucky blending out toward the bluegrass, and heard the metallic ring, ring of my first rock cast into the Ran Polly Cave, that impression lingers still. Now, I almost come to the conclusion that the great architect never chiseled out a more beautiful scene.

More than thirty years ago the outside world came to my wooded habitation and forever ruined my tintype profession. It passed through the famous Pound Gap, and raised my friend from the honorable business of a country school teacher to editor and proprietor of the Mountain Eagle. And if I may be permitted to press down the key of my portable Remington I will say he has taught that lofty bird higher ideals and better traits than robbing the fish hawk or snatching up domestic fowls.

Like ships that pass in the night, we may not meet anyways soon, but if the editor lets this scrap of paper get into print, I am ready to make my bow when we meet again. J. M. Hill. Monroe, old scout, it would all our lives with a more joy to have other short articles from you. You, like ourselves, have seen much of the world. You can look back on its beaten paths and in picture and in story give us in a column or so something that will benefit minds as receptive to good as we believe many of our readers are. You and I, moreover, have lived in more than one era in these hills and it is a great advantage, maybe, to those to whom we speak to have thus been Divinely blessed. You'd be delighted to come over and spend a day or two with us and observe how common we are in yet. True, modern, in fact, for ways have monopolized our

Lincoln at Gettysburg



Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal. Now we are engaged in a great civil war testing whether that nation which is so conceived and so dedicated can long endure. We are met on a great battlefield of that war. We have come to dedicate a portion of that field as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this. But in a larger sense we can not dedicate—we can not consecrate—we can not hallow—this ground. The brave men living and dead who struggled here have consecrated it far above our poor power to add or detract. The world will little note nor long remember what we say here but it can never forget what they did here. It is for us the living rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us—that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion—that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain—that this nation under God shall have a new birth of freedom—and that government of the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.

POUND, VA.

NO DANGER
According to reliable information the smallpox scare at Sergeant has been greatly overdone. Only two cases, as are told, have developed there and these are very light. There is practically no danger of any spread of the disease in the camp, the authorities having the situation completely under control. Smallpox is no longer the dreaded disease it used to be, there being practically no danger in it. Measles is a disease ten to one more dangerous.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS
Often Caused by Elderly Weakness. Its Nature's Signal of "Danger Ahead."
A. C. Eckhart, 3917 St. Clair St., Cleveland, O., says: "After from Vicco where they were taking Lithiated Buchu tablets called on account of the illness of their mother, Mrs. Mary Adams."

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE OR RENT
One 5 room frame house, lot 154x200 ft., extra good garden. If rented wish to rent for period of three years by the year. See me before you buy or rent. Also excess acids thereby relieving irritation that cause getting up at night.
J. Henry Brown, Whitesburg.

STOP FIRE LOSS
DON'T BANK TOO HEAVILY ON YOUR INSURANCE!

Remember an ounce of prevention is worth several pounds of cure!
DO YOU KNOW \$1,000,000 goes up in smoke every day in the United States along with 41 lives?
DO YOU KNOW City Fire Departments put out 85 per cent of the fires they are called to, with chemicals?
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CASH buys the cheapest and best Groceries in the city. I have my survey of business made. I am going to sell groceries for CASH cheaper during 1926 than heretofore. I shall give my friends the benefit of these reductions. I know what I can do in Fresh Meats, Good Groceries and everything else for the family. Again greeting you and soliciting your trade for the New Year, I am your to serve honestly and faithfully.

J. L. BENTLEY

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Keeping money on the person or at home is not only a losing business, but a dangerous one as well. You lose not only the interest your money would earn if it were in bank, but you are likely to lose the principal by fire or theft. Furthermore, the man who comes to rob you is not likely to be too good to kill you. Bring your money here and stay safe.

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By ROY LEWIS

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Gorman-Pursfull Coal Co.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership of Gorman-Pursfull Coal Company, composed of Perry P. Gorman and W. M. Pursfull, has been dissolved and the accounts of said partnership are being settled. All persons having claims against said partnership will please present same promptly to M. D. Lewis, Trustee, Whitesburg, Ky.

This 9 day of February, 1926.
Gorman-Pursfull Coal Co.
By W. M. Pursfull.

SHERIFFS SALE

By virtue of judgment directed to me which issued from the clerk's office of Letcher Circuit Court in favor of General Motors Acceptance Corp., against John W. Sumner I, or one of my deputies will on Monday the 1 day of March 1926, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. at the Courthouse door in Whitesburg, Letcher Co., Ky., expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder the following property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of plaintiff's debt, interest and cost, to-wit: One Oakland Touring automobile, serial No. 28186, motor No. 1-28822. Amount to be raised \$610 and all cost and interest. Attached as the property of John W. Sumner.

Terms—Sale will be made no credit of three months, bond with approved security required, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date of sale and having the force and effect of a sale bond.

This Feb. 2, 1926.
M. T. Reynolds, S. L. C.
By N. R. Day, D. S.

Stop Night Cough This New Way

Quick Relief Thru Simple Treatment

Thousands who have been unable to sleep nights due to irritating night coughing can now obtain practically instant relief and sleep soundly the very first night—through a simple but wonderfully effective treatment. This treatment is based on the prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You take just one teaspoonful at bedtime and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription is a double action. It soothes the inflamed and sore throat, and it quickly removes the phlegm and congestion which are the real cause of night coughing. So with the throat soothed and cleared, coughing stops quickly, you sleep undisturbed, and the entire cough condition soon disappears.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children as well as grown-ups—no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for **DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS**.

AN OPEN LETTER

(Political Advertisement)

Paintsville, Ky., Feb. 2, '26
To the Voters of the Tenth Congressional District:

You are probably aware that at a meeting of the Tenth District Republican Committee, held at Pikeville, Ky., Feb. 29, 1926, Hon. Andrew J. Kirk was nominated as the Republican candidate for Congress.

The election will be held on the 13th day of February and it now less than 11 days until that time. It is impossible for Judge Kirk to get over the district and he will have to depend on the loyal Republicans of the district to get out the vote. The interest and welfare of the Republican party not only in the district but in the entire State is at stake.

As chairman of the district let me urge you to do all in your power to get out the vote on the 13th. The Republican party needs your assistance in this contest and we are depending upon your loyalty to help us get a large victory at the polls.

Yours for success of the Republican Party.

JAS. W. TURNER,
Chmn. Tenth Dist. Rep. Com.

NOTICE

The undersigned hereby declares himself citizen of Kentucky and Letcher county. That he is a resident of Whitesburg in said county on and after this date. This January 29, 1926.
(Signed) Samuel Pascoe.

RHEUMATISM

—While in France with the American Army I obtained a French prescription for the treatment of Rheumatism and Neuritis. I have given this to thousands with wonderful results. The prescription cost me nothing. I ask nothing for it. I will mail it if you will send me your address! A postal will bring it. Write to—PAUL CASE, dept A 110, Brockton, Mass. Feb 5-19

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SALE FOR TAXES

By virtue of taxes due Whitesburg Graded Common School District No. 1 for the year 1925 I will on Monday, March 1, 1926, between the hours of 12 o'clock m. and 2 p. m. at the Courthouse door in the town of Whitesburg, offer for sale for cash in hand, the following property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of taxes due, including penalty, costs of advertising, etc., to-wit:

Name of taxpayer and prop. to be sold	Taxes and costs
Harvey Adington, house and lot near tunnel.....	\$16.92 \$4
Joe Bushakra, 6 acres land on Solomon.....	\$4.70 \$4
Dr B B Baker, house and lot Lewis Addition No. 1.....	\$43.34 \$4
S L Blair, 1 tract land on Crafts Colly.....	\$11.48 \$4
J J D Collins, house and lot on Pine St.....	\$25.97 \$4
I D Collins, improvements near Caudill.....	\$29.66 \$4
Nancy Ann Collins, 50 acres land near Caudill.....	\$30.00 \$4
J I Day, house and lot R R St., nar river.....	\$5.65 \$4
L M Day, house and lot on Cowan ward.....	\$22.20 \$4
Billie Day, lot near H L Wischart.....	\$2.24 \$4
R B Day, 50 acres land near Whitco.....	\$15.52 \$4
James Fields, 1 acre land on Cowas road.....	\$13.63 \$4
Fugate heirs, Geo., etc 87 1-2 acres land near Dug hill.....	\$20.18 \$4
Mrs. Jesse Hilton, 5 acres land on Solomon.....	\$10.59 \$4
Ed Holcomb, house and lot Lewis Add No. 2.....	\$55.00 mh
Ed Holcomb, house and lot Collins-Harvie Addition.....	\$3.69 \$4
Will Holcomb, house and lot Lewis Add. No. 2.....	\$8.96 \$4
Robert Holcomb, house and lot Lewis Add. No. 2.....	\$16.47 \$4
Henry Holcomb, house and lot Lewis Add. No. 2.....	\$8.96 \$4
J W Hall, lot Collins-Harvie Addition.....	\$4.48 \$4
Isaac & Lewis, mine at Seng Factory Hollow.....	\$12.44 \$4
N K Sloan, 1 shoe shop complete.....	\$2.87 \$4
A M Webb 1 house and lot of J I Day near R R.....	\$18.48 \$4
Merle V Sargent 8 town lots Collins-Harvie Addition.....	\$4.48 \$4

Witness my hand this January 2, 1926. Given to the Mountain Eagle for publication February 2, 1926.

F. F. PENDLETON, Collector.

JUDGE ANDREW J. KIRK

Republican Nominee For Congress Tenth District.

Special Election February 13 (Political Advertisement)

Judge Andrew J. Kirk, the Republican nominee for Congress from the Tenth Congressional district to be voted for at the special election to be held Saturday, the 13th day of February, 1926, is a member of an old representative family in Eastern Kentucky, identified with substantial developments as well as being distinguished on both bench and bar. He served twelve years as Circuit Judge of the Twenty-fourth Judicial district of Kentucky. Since retiring from his judicial duties he has been a leading citizen of his community and engaged in the general practice of law in Eastern Kentucky.

Judge Kirk was born at Warfield, Ky. His parents were Joseph M. and Nancy (Dingus) Kirk, both of whom were born in Kentucky, descendants of remote Scotch ancestors. His father, Joseph M. Kirk, served during the war between the States as a member of Co. I, 39th Kentucky Inf., Union Army, of which he was Captain, and although once captured by the enemy, sustained no lasting injuries.

Judge Kirk was primarily educated in the common schools of Martin county, then entered Valparaiso University, (Indiana) where in 1890 he completed his course in law and in the same year was admitted to the Kentucky bar. He entered into practice in his native county, and reached a foremost position there serving one term as Commonwealth's Attorney. His sound judgment and breadth of views in this public capacity brought him still more the esteem and confidence of his fellow citizens, and in November 1904 he was elected to the circuit bench, his jurisdiction at that time covering Johnson, Martin, Floyd, Pike, and Knott counties. At the end his first term he was re-elected to the new district that comprised Johnson, Martin and Pike counties, over which he presided until 1916, being eminently qualified for that high position by his sound knowledge of the law and his scrupulous rectitude. Since 1916 he has been engaged in the general practice of law throughout Eastern Kentucky.

Not only is Judge Kirk professionally prominent in Eastern Kentucky, but his public spirit and solidity of character have been manifested frequently in other directions than the law that he is justly deemed an example and leader by his fellow citizens. In political life he has always been of the Republican faith, though no man could be called less prejudiced in considering the great questions of the day. He was brought up in a family where the Christian religion was much more than a name, and he has been a member of the Baptist Church since boyhood. For many years he has been a member of the Masonic fraternity, Knight Templar and Shriner, and belongs also to the Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias, as well as to the Kiwanis Club and benevolent organizations that have appealed to his intellectual taste and his charitable impulses.

No better qualified man in the Tenth district could be selected to fill the office of Congressman, and no voter will ever have cause to regret having supported him in this election.

Republican Campaign Com.
Tenth Congressional Dist.

AN OPEN LETTER

(Political Advertisement)

Jenkins, Ky., Feb. 2, 1926

Dear Voter—At a meeting of the Republican District Committee held at Pikeville, Ky., on January 29, I was nominated as your candidate for Congress to be voted for at the special election February 13. The fight is yours as well as mine for the interest of the Republican party is at stake. The time to make the fight is short. We will all have to sacrifice some time and get busy immediately to bring out the vote. With an intensive and energetic campaign there is no reason why

the vote of the district should fall down from its usual majority.

The battle has come on sooner than any of us expected and I am depending on you to rally to the support of the great Republican party in this contest. The welfare of the party is resting in your hands and I appeal to you to do your part and discharge your duty.

I am sorry that the time is so short that it will be impossible for me to meet you in person before the election. I will have to depend on you to help me make this fight. I am letting no grass grow under my feet and am busy night and day devoting my entire time to the success of the party on the 13th.

After the battle is over and we have won a big victory I hope to meet each one of you in person and clap your hand and look you in the eye and tell you how thankful I am for your loyal support not only for me but for the grand old party which we all love so dearly—the party of Grant, of Lincoln, of McKinley, of Roosevelt, and Coolidge.

Faithfully yours,
A. J. KIRK.

EFFORT IS MADE TO KEEP KIRK'S NAME OFF THE BALLOT

(Political Advertisement)

On Saturday after Judge Kirk had been nominated for Congress by the Republican Committee of the Tenth Congressional District at Pikeville, his Democratic opponent, J. C. Cantrell, served him with a notice that an effort would be made to prevent the Secretary of State from putting Judge Kirk's name on the ballot. This is a direct attempt to overthrow the will of the people in this district and should be resisted by every voter who wants to see justice and a square deal. Judge Kirk won his nomination at hand of his party in a regular convention. The Governor of Kentucky called the special election. Judge Kirk had nothing to do with the calling of this special election and won his nomination honestly and in the proper way. Notwithstanding this attempt to disfranchise the people of the district who wanted to vote for Judge Kirk, the Secretary of State of Kentucky certified to County Clerks to place the name of Judge Kirk on the special election ballots and his name will be found printed in the first column on the ballot and under the device of the Republican party at the special election to be held on Saturday, February 13, 1926.

Voters over the district were quick to resent this attempt to prevent them from casting their ballot for Judge Kirk and people who were inclined to vote against Judge Kirk have now expressed

their intention of casting their ballot for him.

Judge Kirk wants the majority of the people to rule. He wants every man to vote and have that vote counted as cast.

Many voters of all political faiths throughout the district have assured Judge Kirk of their support, especially after this unfair effort to keep Judge Kirk's name off the ballot.

In order that the people may see the unfair effort to keep Judge Kirk's name off the ballot, we print below the notice of Mr. Cantrell to Judge Kirk, requiring Judge Kirk to appear before the Franklin Circuit Court at Frankfort, Ky., to defend his legal rights to have his name placed on the ballot:

"NOTICE"

"To Honorable A. J. Kirk. 'You are hereby notified that on Monday, February 1, 1926, the undersigned will file in the Franklin Circuit Court, in the City of Frankfort, Ky., seeking on injunction, and will at said time and place on grounds set forth in said petition, enter a motion before the Judge of said court for an injunction prohibiting the Secretary of State from certifying to the county court clerks of the counties composing the Tenth Congressional district, your name as a candidate for the office of Representative in Congress of the United States, to be voted for at the special election to be held in said Tenth Congressional District February 13, 1926, and will support said motion by proof of grounds to be then and there assigned.

"Given this 30th day of January, 1926.
"J. C. CANTRELL."

The injunction was not granted because Judge Kirk filed his certificate of nomination on Saturday night before, and had that fact certified to the various county clerks. Let everybody come out and vote for a Letcher county man for Congress.

MAIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH

A special invitation is given to the public to attend all services. Sunday school and preaching each Sunday morning, preaching and Epworth League Sunday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday. Every Methodist living within reach of the church are asked to place membership here. This will help the church and will help you. Do this at once.

Thos. D. Walters, Pastor

STRAY NOTICE

Some months ago a small red heifer took up at my place and been there since. She is about 2 years old. Owner can have her by proving, paying for keep and \$2 for this adv. This Jan. 16, 1926. Martin Hampton, Millstone, Ky.



More Than 75% of the Million Dollars A Day Taken Paid by the Railroads Goes to State and Local Governments

The steam transportation lines of the United States are now paying taxes at the rate of \$42,000,000 every hour of the twenty-four hours and which are computed with the gigantic total of approximately \$86,000,000.00 per year. While this budget covers Federal, State, County and Municipal taxes, it is a significant fact that the welfare of the community in which you live is affected to the extent of 75% of this great total. In other words, 75% out of every dollar taxes paid by the railroads goes into state and local treasuries, and every time you buy a railroad ticket or ship a consignment of freight you are contributing that paid in dividends to the owners of railroad securities.

Remember these figures and compare them with the relatively small taxes paid by the bus and truck lines, which are operating over roads built and maintained partly by railroad taxes and which are competing with the steam carriers for your patronage. Be fair to the railroads—they are affording the American citizen transportation service in the history of the world—and at the lowest cost.

In 1926 the L. & N. Railroad paid taxes amounting to one million dollars more than the dividends paid to its stockholders.

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Three Menaces to Live Stock

Invasion of Foreign Diseases and Pests Met With Great Vigor.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Three emergencies, each constituting a national menace to the livestock industry, were successfully met during the last fiscal year, according to the annual report of John R. Mohr, chief of bureau of animal industry. Two of them were outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease, in California and Texas, while the third was the invasion of the United States by the European foot pest, a new disease which, extending to nine states, was successfully eradicated.

While emergencies of the kind mentioned are sometimes regarded as occurrences affecting only the livestock industry, information received from many sources shows clearly the serious effect on industry and commerce.

Extensive investigations conducted on the government's experiment farms, however, maintained to solve practical problems confronting stock owners in various regions.

Prevent Soft Pork.

One important investigation dealing with the methods of preventing softness and illness of pork, a condition due largely to feeding peanuts, soy beans, and other oil-bearing feeds. Numerous state experiment stations, particularly in the South where the disease is most serious, are co-operating with the bureau in this work which is now in its seventh year.

Studies of Interest to Sheepmen. The growth of wool and hair varies considerably during the different months and seasons of the year.

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Eradicating Tuberculosis.

In eradicating tuberculosis of live stock, a combined state and federal force tested about 32 per cent more cattle than during the preceding year. Altogether more than 7,000 head were officially tested, of which 3.1 per cent were condemned as diseased.

This proportion of reactors is a slight decline compared with former years. A waiting list of 3,500,000 cattle at the end of the fiscal year shows the strong desire among cattle owners to have their herds tested.

The prevalence of the cholera during the year was unusually low, due apparently to the practice of using the preventive serum treatment.

Though a small number of cases of this disease, which at one time caused enormous losses, is gratifying, the bureau calls attention to its treacherous nature and urges extreme watchfulness in bringing under control promptly any new outbreak that may occur.

Of special interest to livestock owners is the fact that cholera is throughout the country are the in-

vestations conducted on the government's experiment farms, however, maintained to solve practical problems confronting stock owners in various regions.

Wheat and Oats Equally as Good for Clover Nurse Crop.

Tests show there is no marked difference.

Tests made for many years by the experiment station of the University of Illinois show that there is no marked difference between winter wheat and oats as nurse crops for clover, according to H. J. Salter, assistant chief of the self experiment field.

Salter, who is in charge of the clover clover this spring can seed it in either of these grains and get about the same results. The conditions are equal and favorable for growing of clover.

In rotation of corn, oats, wheat and clover on the McNabb experiment field in Putnam county, red clover had been seeded in winter wheat for 17 consecutive years, from 1908 to 1924, and out of these 17 seedings more than 70 per cent of them have been successful. The Rockford field, Wabunago county, in

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GARTER ORDER NOT OLDEST IN WORLD

Many in Existence Before Its Institution.

The Order of the Garter, aside from being one of the oldest of the orders of chivalry, is now regarded as the most important of all such orders, and has been so regarded for many years.

The idea that it is the oldest of them all, however, is a popular error; though the story of its foundation by Edward III in 1344 gives it claim to the distinction of high antiquity.

Whatever the truth of the story pertaining to its origin may be, it is a fact that at the time King Edward is alleged to have picked up the original emblem and named his new order, similar orders were already thick as stars in the great courts of Europe.

The Holy See had started the vogue in 1048, nearly twenty years before the Norman conquest of England, by inaugurating the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, which still exists.

Half a century later, at the close of the twelfth century, the then pope founded the Order of the Holy Sepulchre.

Spain was then full of Christian knights, dusky Moors and chivalry, and established the orders of Calatrava, Santiago and Alcantara in 1158, respectively. In 1191, two years after Frederick Barbarossa had crossed the ocean at the head of the Third Crusade, the "autonomic order" was founded in Austria. Nearly three decades later, in 1219, William the Conqueror established the Dannebrog order in Denmark. This interesting event took place just five years before the art of skating on ice was first essayed in Denmark.

Sweden and Norway were then rather a united grail. The Swedes and the Goths were decimating each other, while the Norwegians were quarreling with both and contracting feuds with alliances with Scotland. However, toward the end of the Thirteenth century, Magnus I organized a regular government, and before he died, in 1266, he also instituted a regular order of chivalry, the Seraphim, which still survives.

In 1318, five years after the suppression of the Knights Templar, the Holy See instituted the Order of Christ.

All these eight orders, and probably a greater number of similar ones that have long since become obsolete, were flourishing in Europe before that of the Garter came into existence in 1344.

So the only thing revolutionary about its introduction was its emblem, and the revolutionary character of that feature was offset by the piously chivalrous tone of the motto attached to the same, "Gall to him that thinks ill of it"—The Argonaut.

Hog Cholera Preventive.

The only known preventive for hog cholera is vaccination before the hog is born. There is no longer any question as to the principle of this treatment. The vaccination of hogs after they get sick is useless.

If a hog is noticed to be off feed, the veterinarian should be called in to make a diagnosis. If hog cholera is found, vaccination of the remainder of the herd should follow immediately.

The value of milk as a feed for hogs is often overlooked. It will prove a desirable addition to any laying ration.

Berlin's Fish Dinner.

Berlin, Germany, 3,000,000 jelly doughnuts and 2,000,000 pounds of carp as part of the celebration of the centenary of the German republic.

The German government has ordered that the carp should be as good as part more than we do. An effort was made to popularize the fish in America by the German consul.

It was found that it bred so fast that it soon overpowered small ponds in which it was introduced. But with its slush habits the flesh of the fish is coarse and readily takes the taint of impure water.

With the American people it is not a favorite. It is what is called a "free bite." It is, however, one of the hardest of fishes and it will live for several days after leaving the water if surrounded by damp moss. This may be transported over long distances, and in war time it often became an important staple food of impoverished refugees.

The little goldfish is cousin to this comparative leviathan, which was domesticated by the Chinese in a period long anterior to the Christian era.

Eastern Illiteracy.

According to the latest figures, about one hundred million people in India above the age of ten are able to read and write. That is not a very high percentage.

In 1922 there were 8,500,000 students in elementary and advanced schools. That is a large number, but we must remember that India has a population of 315,000,000.

In all the schools and colleges of India, there are about 1,000,000 students. The population of China is larger than that of India, but the number of students is smaller.

We may say that China is behind India in regard to the number of students. On the other hand, China has made more progress in education during the past twenty years than has India. The number of students in China is now more than six times as great as it was in 1900.

Army Efficiency.

I have great respect for army people; they usually do things correctly. I was recently a guest at the home of Col. Jerome Pillow at Fort Leavenworth, and while in his dressing room, saw that he had 27 neckties. I resolved that as soon as I returned home I would buy my other 26—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

That Superset.

Two San Francisco radio enthusiasts were boasting of their success in "tuning in" on distant stations. "Why," said one, "I heard every word of 'Romance of the Three Kingdoms' last night." "That's nothing," retorted the other, "I not only heard the same play, but I heard the audience calling 'author'."

Alaskan Seal Varieties.

Alaskan seals are far less of the sea bear family found in the Bering sea region, Cape Horn and the Shetland islands region. The northern species comprise Alaska, Victoria or northwest, Copper Island, Robben Island and Japanese seals. The south or seal species comprise Shetland, Lobos Island and Cape seals. The variations noticed in the qualities and sizes of the seals are due to differences in age, sex and location of habitat.—Washington Star.

Airplane Crews Blameless.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25. The airplane crews were held blameless by a naval court of inquiry for the breaking away of 17 airplanes from their moorings at Baltimore, October 25.

Norway's Star in U. S.

New York—Charles Hoff, holder of the world's pole vault record and around athlete of Norway, arrived in this country for a three months' visit, during which he will compete in many of the leading indoor meets.

Police Chief Accused.

Hillsboro, Mo.—Chief of Police J. H. Hunsicker of Hillsboro, Mo., was charged by the county jury last night on a charge of assisting in the holdup of the American bank at Des Moines, Iowa, which took place July 1, 1924, and \$10,000 in Liberty bonds were obtained.

Lieut. R. C. Sherburne Killed.

Houston, Texas—Lieut. Raymond C. Sherburne, thirty-four, of the Thirty-sixth squadron, was killed when his airplane fell.

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By virtue of a judgment and order of sale made at the August term 1925 of Letcher Circuit Court in above styled cause, I will offer for sale to highest and best bidder at Courthouse door in Whitesburg, Letcher Co. Ky., on 1 day of March 1926, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. it being County Court day, the following described property, to-wit:

First Lot—A certain town lot situated on north side of River-side Drive and west side of Frazier street, in tract No. 1 Collins-Harvie Addition to the town of Whitesburg, Letcher Co. Ky. and known and designated on the plat of said addition as lot No. 28 block C which said plat is of record in Deed Book 50 page 621, Letcher Co. Court clerk's office.

Second Lot—Two certain town lots situated on north side of Cornelia Avenue in Tract No. 1, of Collins-Harvie Addition to the town of Whitesburg, Letcher Co. Ky., and known and designated on the plat of said addition as lots Nos. 26 and 27 in block C, the said plat is of record in Deed book 59 page 621 Letcher County Court Clerk's office.

Said property cannot be divided without materially impairing its value and will be sold as a whole. The amount to be raised by said sale is the sum of \$1,658 and all cost of action and sale.

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